

To whom it may concern,

I would like to write you about the current situation with Howard Stern and the FCC. First of all, I am an educated person: a teacher as well as a buisness owner in the state of CT. I am a Physical Education teacher and use various types of media such as music in my classroom, all of the time. When I first began my teaching career (about 9 years ago) I was able to play the morning radio with my students without the fear of hearing something rude, disgusting, or anything that young children should not hear. That obviously has all changed now. I, like many other people have adapted, I only play cd's in the morning and wait until the morning talk shows are over, to go back to the radio. You may be getting the sense that this letter is pro-FCC, but it is not! I, myself, enjoy listening to Howard Stern in the morning at home or in my car. I should have the choice as to what I would like to listen to and not have to worry about having to listen to what other people decide I should be listening to . There are a lot of things that I disagree with Howard about, one such thing, I am a Bush supporter. That does not mean that I should not have the right to listen to what I want to listen to. More emphasis should be placed on parenting skills, and some of the responsibility be placed on irresponsible parents. Being a teacher I see a lot of children that have numerous problems that were not taught from radio shows like Howard Stern's, but from parents who lack the right skills in child raising or who just don't care. The bottom line is, I support free speech and in turn support Howard Stern, and would vote for anyone who I feel supports the issues that I do, wether Republican or Democrat. Thank you for your time.